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Docket No. 1330.1097\JFH

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Rodrigo Ernesto Santos LOUREIRO

Group Art Unit: To be assigned

Serial No.: 09/739,747

Examiner: To be assigned

Filed: December 20, 2000

For: A METHOD FOR CREATING SELF-BUILT CUSTOMER HIERARCHIES

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for an extension of time into the <u>third</u> month after the response due date, i.e., until <u>June 5</u>, <u>2001</u>, for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed <u>March 5</u>, <u>2001</u>.

A check for the appropriate fee set by 37 CFR §1.17 of \$110.00 is attached hereto for this Petition.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any Petition for Extension of Time fee for underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted, STAAS & HALSEY LLP

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